8th March 1961]

(இ) எந்த அளவு வருமானமுள்ளவர்கள் ஏழைகளாகக் கருதப்படுவார்கள் (Definition of poor students)

(உ) இதற்கு வெளி உதவி ஏதேனும் உண்டா? அதன் விவரமென்ன?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (a) to (c) All poor pupils, the gross annual income of whose parents or guardians does not exceed Rs. 1,200 per annum, are exempted from the payment of school fees in elementary schools and in secondary schools up to and inclusive of Form III. A general concession up to XI Standard has been now given as per the Budget proposals.

Minorities

* 680 Q.—SRI A. A. RASHEED : Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state whether the Government have received any communication from the Union Government regarding better treatment of minorities in the State in making appointments and promotion?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : The Government of India forwarded to this Government towards the end of December 1956, a "Memorandum" indicating the matters in respect of which safeguards should be provided for the linguistic minorities in each State. In order to formulate, in detail, the safeguards envisaged in the "Memorandum", a Zonal Ministerial Committee was formed under the aegis of the Southern Zonal Council. The detailed specification of safeguards recommended by the Committee was accepted by the Council. These recommendations have been accepted by this Government also and communicated in G.O. Ms. No. 1281, Public (Partition), dated 11th August 1960 to the Departments of Secretariat for taking necessary steps to implement them. This Government Order together with enclosures has been placed on the table of the House on 24th January 1961.

MR. SPEAKER : Questions are over.

III.—GOVERNMENT MOTION.

[*Note.*—An asterisk (*) at the Commencement of a speech indicates revision by the Member.]

ORDER OF TAKING UP OF VOTING ON DEMANDS FOR GRANTS.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : Sir, I move—

'That the voting on Demands for Grants for the year 1961-62 be taken up in the following order :

DEMANDS.

XIV. Police.

XII. Administration of Justice.

XIII. Jails.

XXII. Industries and Cinchona.

[Sri C. Subramaniam] [8th March 1961

DEMANDS.

XLI. Capital Outlay on Industrial Development.

III. Forest Department.

XVIII. Agriculture.

XIX. Fisheries.

XX. Animal Husbandry.

XXXVII. Capital Outlay on Forest.

XL. Capital Outlay on Agriculture.

VII. Irrigation.

XXXVIII. Capital Outlay on Irrigation.

XXV. Harijan Uplift.

XXIV. Labour including Factories.

XXXV. Road Transport Schemes.

XLIII. Capital Outlay on Road Transport Schemes.

VIII. Head of State, Ministers and Headquarters staff.

IX. State Legislature.

X. Elections.

I. Land Revenue Department.

II. Stamps Administration.

XI. District Administration and Miscellaneous.

XXXVI. Compensation to Zamindars.

IV. Registration Department.

XVI. Medical.

XVII. Public Health.

XXXIX. Capital Outlay on Public Health.

V. Motor Vehicles Acts Administration.

XV. Education.

XXVII. Civil Works—Works.

XLII. Capital Outlay on Civil Works.

XXVIII. Civil Works—Establishment and Tools and Plant.

XXIX. Civil Works—Grants-in-Aid.

XXVI. Community Development Projects, etc.

XXXIV. Other Miscellaneous Contributions and Assignments.

XXXII. Stationery and Printing.

VI. General Sales Tax and Other Taxes and Duties Administration.

XXI. Co-operation.

XXIII. Khadi.

XXX. Famine.

8th March 1961] [Sri C. Subramaniam]

DEMANDS.

XXXI. Pensions.

XXXIII. Miscellaneous.

XLIV. Commuted Value of Pensions.

XLV. Capital Outlay on Schemes of Government Trading.

XLVI. Loans and Advances by the State Government.'

The motion was put and carried.

MR. SPEAKER: When are we going to take the Police Demand? It should have been taken up to-day.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: We shall take up to-day itself after my reply.

SRI V. K. RAMASWAMY MUDALIYAR: Will it be possible to take up the Police Demand to-day when some leaders have to speak and the Hon. Minister has also got to reply?

MR. SPEAKER: It all depends on the leaders. If their speeches are short and the Hon. Minister's reply is also short, we can then take up the Police Demand.

Yesterday the hon. Member Sri C. N. Annadurai was speaking. To-day the hon. Member Sri M. Kalyanasundaram has also come and he has expressed his desire to speak to-day. I will give to Sri C. N. Annadurai 45 minutes and to Sri M. Kalyanasundaram 30 Minutes. Sri C. N. Annadurai may now speak.

IV.—GENER L DISCUSSION OF THE BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 1961-62—*cont.*

SRI C. N. ANNADURAI: கனம் சட்டமன்றத் தலைவர் அவர்களே, இந்த ஆண்டு நிதி நிலை அறிக்கையைப்பற்றி நான் எனது கருத்துக்களை எடுத்துச் சொல்லிக்கொண்டு வருகின்ற நேரத்தில் அதிலுள்ள குற்றங்குறைகளை எடுத்துச் சொல்வதற்கான நிலை வருகிற அவசரத்தில் அதில் காணக்கூடிய, இந்தத் துறைத்தனத்தார் செய்திருக்கக்கூடிய சில நல்ல காரியங்களுக்காக எனது பாராட்டுதல்களை தெரிவிப்பதில் தவறிவிடுவேனோ என்ற அச்ச மில்லாது, முதலில் அவர்கள் செய்திருக்கின்ற இரண்டொரு நல்ல காரியங்களுக்காக நான் எனது பாராட்டுதல்களைத் தெரிவித்துக் கொள்கிறேன். தமிழ் மக்களின் நீண்ட கால விருப்பத்தை தமிழ் நாட்டுப் பண்புப்படி இன்றையதினம் ஏற்றுக்கொண்டு, அதைக் காலங்கடந்து ஏற்றுக் கொண்டதாயிருந்தாலும் ஓரளவு அதை ஏற்றுக்கொண்டு தமிழ் மக்களுக்கு அவர்களது உரிமைப் பெயரான தமிழ்நாடு என்ற பெயரை இந்த அரசு ஏற்படுத்திக் கொடுத்திருப்பதற்காக நாம் இந்த அரசைப் பாராட்டக் கடமைப் பட்டிருக்கிறோம். அதனை இன்னும் முழு மனதுடன், நல்ல வடிவத்துடன் செய்திருக்கலாம் என்ற கருத்தை இந்த நேரத்தில் எடுத்துச் சொல்வதால் அவர்கள்தாம் செய்திருக்கிற காரியம் தவறோ என்று எடுத்துக் கொள்ளக் கூடாது. அவர்கள் இந்தக்